

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Barry J. Maurer et al.	Confirmation No.: 4853
Serial No.: 10/782,459	Examiner: Raymond J. Henley, III
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For: PHARMACEUTICAL COMPOSITIONS OF SAFINGOL AND METHODS OF USING THE SAME	

September 24, 2007

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

The present Amendment is being filed to address the issues raised in the Office Action dated June 22, 2007.

It is not believed that any fee(s), including fees for additional claims, are required, beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this submission. In the event, however, that any extension of time for the accompanying response is required, Applicants request that such an extension is also hereby petitioned for under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a). Any additional fees believed to be due in connection with this submission may be charged to our Deposit Account No. 50-0220.

**Amendments to the specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the claims** begin on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 8 of this paper.